

WØMTL—Hannibal Amateur Radio Club News—WØKEM



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NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING: 2021

NOVEMBER 10, 2021

IMPORTANT NOTICE!!

Due to the resurgence of the Delta variant of COVID-19, we will be returning back to doing the meetings on the 146.625 repeater until further notice..

MONDAY NIGHT WEEKLY NET CALL LIST – NOVEMBER 2021

STEVE - KDØYTH

SCHEDULED FCC VE TEST DATES FOR YEAR OF 2021

DATES FOR 2021 :

TESTING IS COMPLETED

Registration is requested at least 72 hours before the exam session by contacting the team liaison, Ed Turner at 573-541-9130, or n0wnv.et@gmail.com. If enough VE's are present at the meeting night, any walk ins will be able to test that evening.

The 2021 test fee will be unchanged at \$15.00. It goes to ARRL/VEC. Bring a photo ID (or two non-photo ID's); if currently licensed, bring the original and a photocopy of your valid FCC license; and if you are claiming credit for successful completion of an exam, bring the original and photocopy of any applicable CSCE's.

Exams will take place at 8:00 PM after the regular scheduled HARC meeting.

WALK INS ARE WELCOME.

HARC CLUB DUES:

HARC annual dues are due each January. The dues are very important and are needed to keep repeaters up and running, plus other expenses of the club. The yearly dues fee is \$20.00 per member, & \$5.00 for each additional family member. You can pay at club meetings, or send the money to HARC, P.O. Box 1522 Hannibal Mo, 63401. Thanks!!



**Hannibal Amateur Radio Club
Monthly Meeting Minutes
Rocky Shrum KEØKCR, Secretary
October 15, 2021**



Call to order:

The monthly meeting of the Hannibal Amateur Radio Club was called to order at 7:00PM by President Don Vary (KDØHHN) with the following members present: Cliff (KØCA), Ken (KEØKCQ), Jody (KEØOAA), Joe(W6JFL) Dave (KBØRZN), Rocky (KEØKCR) Al (N9MAF,proxy) Al (K9AJC), and Steve (KDØYTH)

Proposals for Membership:

None

Minutes from Previous Meeting:

There were no changes or corrections to the minutes from last month's meeting. A motion was made by Ken (KEØKCQ) and seconded by Dave (KBØRZN) to accept the minutes as read.

Treasurer's Report:

Ken (KEØKCQ) made the following report:

Last Month Checking balance: \$2317.40

This Month Checking balance: \$2407.40

CD balance : \$1341.28

Petty Cash: \$40.00

Total Club assets: \$3788.68

A motion was made by Dave (KBØRZN), and seconded by Rocky (KCØKCR) to accept the Treasurer's Report as read, The motion carried.

Repeaters:

Al (N9MAF) was unable to attend, but sent this report to Don (KDØHHN). Both machines are working as they should, I went to Eolia September 25, and picked up the replacement batteries for the 146.880 repeater from Tom at A & W. I installed the new batteries the same day. Tom was going to send me the bill for the batteries but I have not received a bill yet. Tom also helped me with getting the software for the GE controller to work on my computer. Unfortunately, the setting to adjust the long squelch tale is not on the onboard GE controller. It is on the external CSI controller, which I don't have the software for. I will check with

Tom to see if he has a copy of the program. Otherwise I'll start searching other sources.

Unfinished Business:

Don (KDØHHN) reported that the statewide ARES® exercise will be on the 23rd. It will be based on a 6.5 earthquake and deal with the ability to handle traffic both digital and by voice. Anyone interested in participating, let him know.

New Business:

Don (KDØHHN) reported that the Halloween Funexpedition from Frankenstein Missouri will be on the air again this year from Oct 30 to Nov 1 with the callsign WØO. The event is sponsored by the Mid-Mo Amateur Radio club. They will be operating on 14.027, 7.027 and 3.527 on CW and 14.345, 7,290 and 3.963 on voice. They have a unique QSL card that is different every year.

Also the Halloween Hamfest is taking place in Kirkwood, Missouri on October 30th. Information is available on their website www.halloweenhamfest.org.

Joe (W6JFL) reported that he talked with Eric Murfin from the Ambulance district about testing location. Eric said that we could use the Ambulance bay at the New London station for testing, and possibly a meeting location. He also reported that Eric is the Emergency Management Director for Ralls County and that he would like to talk about establishing an Amateur Radio presence at the EOC. Don said that we currently have radios at the Hannibal/Marion County EOC in Hannibal, and he will be checking with John Hark about possibly meeting there, Joe said that Eric was talking about doing Field Day at the New London locations. Don asked Joe to have Eric get in touch with him so he could set up a time to see the EOC in New London to see what would be needed.

Joe also mentioned that he is planning to test in a couple of weeks and that Ken(KFØTEX) is also thinking of testing for General as well. Joe tried to call Ed (NØWNV) but couldn't find a phone number but the roster did not have one. Don explained why the roster was the way it is. Cliff (KØCA) said that he would send the complete roster to Don and he could send it to everyone.

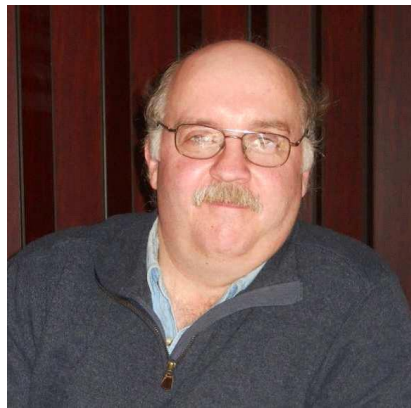
Ken (KEØKCQ) reported that Club dues are coming due. They are \$20.00 per member, if doing the family plan, additional members are \$5.00 each.

Adjournment:

With no other business to conduct, a motion was made by Jody (KEØOAA) and seconded by Steve (KDØYTH) to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried and the meeting was adjourned at 7:19 PM.



FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK
BY DON VARY KDØHHN



Hello everyone. Another season is passed and once again fall is here. With that, it becomes time to start winterizing not only our homes and vehicles, but also our radio equipment. Checking coax connections, coax, antennas backup power supplies.

Today was the statewide ARES® exercise dealing with message handling using the FEMA NIMS forms. Overall, considering propagation and weather, I think it went well. I am going to be working on some classes to cover the use of the Incident Command forms including proper completion of the forms. In disaster situations, these are the forms that we would so it would be beneficial for us to know how to use the forms. Well all for now, everyone stay safe and stay well.

73

Don

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Thanks to all.

KINGDOM OF SWATINI, 3DA0. A group of operators are QRV as 3DA0WW
until October 26. Activity is on 160 to 10 meters using CW, SSB,
RTTY and FT8 in DXpedition mode. QSL direct to YL2GN.

THE GAMBIA, C5. Operators Jan-Francois, F4AHV, Gerard, F5NVF, Luc,
F5RAV and Abdel, M0NPT will be QRV as C5C from Kololi from October
24 to November 19. Activity will be on 80 to 10 meters using CW,
SSB, FT8, FT4, and Satellite activity on QO-100. QSL via F5RAV.

BAHAMAS, C6. Richard, NN2T will be QRV as C6AHB from Bimini Island,
IOTA NA-048, from October 27 to November 3. This includes being
active in the upcoming CQ World Wide DX SSB contest. QSL to home
call.

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, DA. Members of the DARC local
association Wolfsburg and possibly others will be QRV as special
event station DR0OEBIS until the end of 2021 to celebrate the 150th
anniversary of the railway station Oebisfelde. Activity will be on
various HF bands and Satellites using CW, SSB, RTTY and various
digital modes. QSL via bureau.

MARTINIQUE, FM. Miguel, EA1BP will be QRV as FM/EA1BP from October
27 to November 5. This includes being active as TO7O in the
upcoming CQ World Wide DX SSB contest. QSL to home call.

GALAPAGOS ISLANDS, HC8. Members of the Tifariti Gang/DX Friends will be QRV as HD8R from October 26 to November 7. Activity will be with four active stations on 160 to 6 meters, including 60 meters, using CW, SSB, various digital modes, and on Low-Earth orbit Satellites. This includes being an entry in the upcoming CQ World Wide DX SSB contest as either a Multi/2 or Multi/Multi entry. QSL via EA5RM.

SARDINIA, IS0. Richard, OM2TW is QRV as IS0/OM2TW until November 1. Activity is holiday style on the HF bands using CW, SSB, and various digital modes. This includes being an entry in the upcoming CQ World Wide DX SSB contest. QSL via OM2FY.

JAPAN, JA. Members of the radio club in the city of Tama are QRV as 8N1TAMA until the end of June 2022 to mark their city's 50th anniversary. Activity is on 160 meters to 70 centimeters using CW, SSB and FM. QSL via bureau.

ARGENTINA, LU. Special event station L21RCA is QRV until the end of 2021 to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the Radio Club Argentina. QSL via LU4AA.

BELGIUM, ON. Special event stations ON75AF, ON75BAF and ON75BFS are QRV until the end of 2021 to draw attention to the 75th anniversary of the Belgian Air Force. QSL via operators' instructions.

BONAIRE, PJ4. Tjeerd, PE1OJR is QRV as PJ4/PE1OJR until October 29. Activity is holiday style mainly on 40 and 20 meters using SSB, FT8 and FT4. QSL via LoTW.

SABA, ST. EUSTATIUS, PJ5. John, W5JON will be QRV as PJ5/W5JON from St. Eustatius, IOTA NA-145, from October 24 to November 1. Activity will be on 40 to 6 meters using SSB and FT8. This includes being an entry in the upcoming CQ World Wide DX SSB contest. QSL direct to home call.

ARUBA, P4. John, W2GD will be QRV as P40W from October 25 to November 1. Activity will be on all bands as time permits. This includes being active in the upcoming CQ World Wide DX SSB contest. QSL via LoTW.

TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS, VP5. Mario, W4HBW is QRV as VP5MA from Providenciales Island, IOTA NA-002, until October 31. He is usually active on 20 and 15 meters using FT8. QSL direct to home call.

BERMUDA, VP9. Jeff, N6CQ will be QRV as VP9/N6GQ from October 27 to November 1. Activity will be on 160 to 6 meters using CW and SSB. He plans to be active as VP9I in the upcoming CQ World Wide DX SSB contest. QSL via operator's instructions.

THIS WEEKEND ON THE RADIO. The ARRL EME Contest, Stew Perry Topband

CW Challenge, North American SSB Sprint Contest, NCCC CW Sprint, K1USN Slow Speed CW Test, YBDXPI FT8 Contest, UK/EI DX SSB Contest and the Classic CW Exchange are all on tap for this upcoming weekend.

The Telephone Pioneers QSO Party and K1USN Slow Speed Test are scheduled for October 25.

The Worldwide Sideband Activity Contest and RTTYOPS Weeksprint are scheduled for October 26.

The SKCC CW Sprint, Phone Fray, CWops Mini-CWT Test and UKEICC 80-Meter CW Contest are on tap for October 27.

Please see October QST, page 75, and the ARRL and WA7BNM Contest web sites for details.

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